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10/542,938 INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO. INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE PRIORITY DATE CLAIMED 24 January 2003 PCT/EP03/14949 29 December 2003 TITLE OF INVENTION Asynchronous wrapper for a globally asynchronous, locally synchronous (GALS) circuit APPLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US Eckhard GRASS and Milos KRSTIC Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information: This is a FIRST submission of items concerning a submission under 35 U.S.C. 371. This is a SECOND or SUBSEQUENT submission of items concerning a submission under 35 U.S.C. 371. This is an express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(f)). The submission must include items (5), (6), (9) and (21) indicated below. The US has been elected (Article 31). A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)) is attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau). has been communicated by the International Bureau. is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office (RO/US). An English language translation of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)). has been previously submitted under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4). 7. 12 Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)) are attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau). have been communicated by the International Bureau. have not been made; however, the time limit for making such amendments has NOT expired. have not been made and will not be made. An English language translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)). An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4)). An English language translation of the annexes of the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(5)). 10. l Items 11 to 20 below concern document(s) or information included: An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98. An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included. 12 l 13. しげ A preliminary amendment. An Application Data Sheet under 37 CFR 1.76. A substitute specification. A power of attorney and/or change of address letter. 16. A computer-readable form of the sequence listing in accordance with PCT Rule 13ter.2 and 37 CFR 1.821- 1.825. 17. I A second copy of the published International Application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4). A second copy of the English language translation of the international application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).

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U.S. APPLICATION NO. (if known, see 37 CFR 1.5) INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO. ATTORNEY'S DOCKET NUMBER 10/542,938 PCT/EP03/14949 536-009-023 20. Other items or information: The following fees have been submitted **CALCULATIONS** PTO USE ONLY Basic national fee (37 CFR 1.492(a))......\$300 21. Examination fee (37 CFR 1.492(c)) \$ If the written opinion prepared by ISA/US or the international preliminary examination report prepared All other situations..... Search fee (37 CFR 1.492(b)) If the written opinion of the ISA/US or the International preliminary examination report prepared by IPEA/US indicates all claims satisfy provisions of PCT Article 33(1)-(4)......\$0 Search fee (37 CFR 1.445(a)(2)) has been paid on the international application to the USPTO as an International Searching Authority.....\$100 International Search Report prepared by an ISA other than the US and provided to the Office or previously communicated to the US by the IB...................................\$400 All other situations.....\$500 TOTAL OF 21, 22 and 23 = Additional fee for specification and drawings filed in paper over 100 sheets (excluding sequence listing in compliance with 37 CFR 1.821(c) or (e) or computer program listing in an electronic medium) (37 CFR 1.492(j)). The fee is \$250 for each additional 50 sheets of paper or fraction thereof. Ref: 11/10/2005 PKIDWELL 0017364300 0442 Name/Humber:10542938 ln. Ref :230442 Extra Sheets **Total Sheets** Number of each additional 50 or fraction RATE thereof (round up to a whole number) 9204 \$130.00 CR \$ - 100 = /50 = x \$250 Surcharge of \$130.00 for furnishing any of the search fee, examination fee, or the oath or declaration after the date of commencement of the national stage (37 CFR 1.492(h)). **CLAIMS** NUMBER FILED **NUMBER EXTRA** RATE \$ Total claims x \$50 \$ - 20 = x \$200 \$ Independent claims - 3 = MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM(S) (if applicable) \$360 \$ **TOTAL OF ABOVE CALCULATIONS =** \$ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Fees above are reduced by 1/2. Processing fee of \$130.00 for furnishing the English translation later than 30 months from the earliest \$ 130.00 claimed priority date (37 CFR 1.492(i)). TOTAL NATIONAL FEE = \$ Fee for recording the enclosed assignment (37 CFR 1.21(h)). The assignment must be accompanied by an appropriate cover sheet (37 CFR 3.28, 3.31). \$40.00 per property TOTAL FEES ENCLOSED = 130.00 Q9/06/2001 HKAYPAGH 00000145 10542938 Amount to be chargedjust part date: 11/18/2005 PK IDWELL 01 FC: 1617 MKAYPAGH 68000145 18542938 -130.00 Op Amount to be \$ 11:161 01 م 130.00 SP



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- **3.** Also enclosed is a marked-up copy of the substitute specification showing the matter being added to and the matter being deleted from the specification.
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